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FOR: METHODS FOR OBTAINING
THERMOSTABLE ENZYMES, DNA
POLYMERASE I VARIANTS FROM
THERMUS AQUATICUS HAVING NEW
CATALYTIC ACTIVITIES, METHODS
FOR OBTAINING THE SAME, AND
APPLICATIONS OF THE SAME

## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.